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Putting the Code of Professional Conduct to the Test: Preparing for the Ethical Interview Portion of the NIC Performance Exam

Saturday, October 9, 2010

9:00am – 4:30pm Central Time (Lunch on your own)

Description: This training will provide an explanation of the NIC Ethical Interview portion of the Performance Exam. Participants will learn the test format, Rubric Criteria, Test Outline, and CPC. Participants will practice responding to ethical scenarios using a holistic framework by supporting their answers with citations and application of specific CPC Tenets, Guiding Principles, and Illustrative Behaviors. *There will be extensive group discussion as ethical dilemmas are analyzed, in addition to a practice session for individuals to work within the time constraints of a mock test setting.*

Educational Objectives: At the end of this training participants will be able to-

- Identify the eight scales of the NIC Performance Criteria
- Articulate and effectively utilize the NIC Interview Exam Rubric Anchor Domains
- Evaluate and utilize the Tasks, Knowledge, and Skill Statements that comprise the NIC Test Outline
- Cite and apply the CPC Tenets, Guiding Principles, and Illustrative Behaviors holistically to real world ethical dilemmas
- Demonstrate an understanding of the test format by participating individually and in small and large workgroups
- Independently modify responses to fit within the time allotted during simulated test conditions

The target audience for this workshop includes ITP students and noncertified interpreters who have already passed the written NIC exam, and certified working interpreters who plan to take the NIC Performance Exam.

The Presenter: Laurie Cribb, CI, CT, SC:L, NIC Master. After attending Maryville College in East Tennessee, she began her career as a freelance interpreter in Knoxville. A few years later, she moved to Nashville to join the staff of Bridges (formerly the League for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing & EAR Foundation), a not-for-profit agency, where she is currently the Senior Staff Interpreter/Intern Supervisor. She has been a professional community interpreter for 14 years and is in her fifth year as a VRS interpreter. Ms. Cribb has presented numerous workshops on topics such as test preparation, ethics, interpreting in religious settings, voice interpreting, and legal interpreting. She has been active and held officer positions on the state (TRID) and local (NTRID) levels. She was the recipient of the 2006 Region II President's Choice Award. In her free time she enjoys reading, participating in all things musical, and spending time with her two dogs.



This workshop is worth a total of 0.6 CEUs in Professional Studies at the "Some" Content Level of knowledge. JCIL Deaf & Hard of Hearing Services is an approved RID CMP Sponsor for Continuing Education Activities.



This workshop will be presented in spoken English. Persons needing "reasonable accommodations" to participate fully in this training please submit your requests in writing by September 25, 2010 along with your registration fee. We cannot guarantee that requests received after this date will be filled. Cancellations or requests for refunds must be made via email by September 10th to LC@hearingbridges.org Questions? 615-248-8828 V/TTY

This training will be held at **Bridges**, 415 Fourth Avenue South, Nashville, TN 37201. **Bridges** is the tan brick building on the corner of Peabody Street and Fourth Avenue South two blocks from the Country Music Hall of Fame in downtown Nashville. Please park in the back lots leaving front spaces open for those who cannot climb the stairs.

Registrations must be RECEIVED by Oct. 5th. Please make checks or money orders payable to **Bridges.**

Mail payment and registration form to:
Bridges Interpreter Workshop
415 Fourth Ave. South, Suite A
Nashville, TN 37201

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Registration Fee: \$50 Deadline: October 5th

Name: _____ Email: _____

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